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May 11, 2012

Mr. Richard McGreal
Associate Regional Administrator
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
JFK Federal Building
Room 2325
Boston, MA 02203

Re: NH Medicaid Care Management Program

Dear Mr. McGreal:

In accordance with 42 CFR §438 as well as guidance from your Regional Office staff, we are submitting the NH Medicaid Care Management Managed Care Organization contracts, the CMS checklist and actuarial rate certification for approval.

The NH Governor and Executive Council approved the MCO contracts on May 9, 2012. The State Plan Amendment (SPA) for this initiative (12-006) was submitted to CMS on March 30, 2012. This morning we received a list of informal SPA questions to respond to from the Regional Office.

Based upon our discussions we anticipate that the formal review of the SPA will now commence along with the approval of the contract and actuarial certification. If you have any questions regarding the SPA please direct them to Diane Peterson, Medicaid Policy Administrator, at (603) 271-4367 or via email at dpeterson@dhhs.state.nh.us. Questions regarding the contract, checklist or actuarial certification should be directed to Walter Faasen, Director of Contracts & Procurement at (603) 271-9405 or by email at Walter.Faasen@dhhs.state.nh.us.

We look forward to a favorable review. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Kathleen A. Dunn".

Kathleen A. Dunn, MPH
Medicaid Director